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AMUSEMENTS THIS EVENING.

OLYMPIC THEATRE, Broadway.—HICOCY DICOCY DOCK.
BOTHY THEATRE, 23d st., between 5th and 6th av.—ESCHAU ALDERS.

FIFTH AVENUE THEATRE, Fifth avenue and Twenty-fourth street.—DORA—BLACK EYED SUSAN.

WALLACK'S THEATRE, Broadway and 12th street.—MOTHER HUBBARD.

THE TAMMANY, Fourteenth street.—FRA DIAVOLO—ROCKE JAFFEE JENNY.

WATERLEY THEATRE, 72d Broadway.—OLD CROSTY SHOP.

BOWERY THEATRE, Bowery.—STATE SECRETS—FIELD OF THE CLOTH OF GOLD, &c.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE, corner of Eighth avenue and 23d street.—EAST LYNNE.

NIBLO'S GARDEN, Broadway.—THE SPECTACULAR EXTRAORDINARY OF SINBAD THE SAILOR.

WOODS MUSEUM AND THEATRE, Thirtieth street and Broadway.—Afternoon and evening Performances.

BRYANT'S OPERA HOUSE, Tammany Building, 14th street.—EUROPEAN MINSTRELS, &c.

TONY PASTOR'S OPERA HOUSE, 201 Bowery.—COMIC VOCALISTS, NEGRO MINSTRELS, &c.

THEATRE COMIQUE, 314 Broadway.—BUCKLESQUE, COMIC BALLET AND PANTOMIME.

CENTRAL PARK GARDEN, 7th av., between 58th and 59th st.—POPULAR GARDEN CONCERT.

HOOVER'S OPERA HOUSE, Brooklyn.—THE WAYSIDE BUCKLESQUE TRUPE.

NEW YORK MUSEUM OF ANATOMY, 435 Broadway.—SCIENCE AND ART.

LADIES' NEW YORK MUSEUM OF ANATOMY, 620 Broadway.—FEMALES ONLY IN ATTENDANCE.

TRIPLE SHEET.

New York, Monday, June 21, 1869.

THE HERALD IN BROOKLYN.

Notice to Carriers and Newsdealers.

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THE NEWS.

Europe.

The cable telegrams are dated June 20.

The Spanish Cortes has passed a bill investing the acts of the provisional government with the force of law. The republican members of the Cortes introduced a bill calling for the expulsion of the Duke of Montpensier from Spain. The measure, however, was rejected. General Pezuela, a warm supporter of the ex-Queen, on his arrival in Madrid was arrested. A conspiracy for the restoration of Isabella has been discovered in Granada. The members of the new ministry were introduced to the Cortes on Saturday. General Prim made a speech on the occasion. The president of a republican club in Cadiz was arrested for speaking against Marshal Serrano.

The city of Paris is once more quiet. The Chinese Embassy is preparing to leave for St. Petersburg.

Australia.

The latest accounts from Melbourne tell us of continued troubles in the Colonial Parliament. The members expelled for bribery have been re-elected, and those persons who were sent to jail for bribing the members have been released. An appeal by the Parliament to the Privy Council is made.

South America.

President Sarmiento, of the Argentine Confederation, in his speech recently on opening the Argentine Chambers, said the warmest friendship existed between the allies, and they had the most generous feelings towards the Paraguayans for the benefit of whom they were about to establish a provisional government at Asuncion.

We publish elsewhere copious extracts from the official correspondence of Minister Webb, showing the reasons which led him to suspend diplomatic relations between the United States and Brazil, as also the letter of the Brazilian Foreign Minister returning an offensive letter that had been sent him by Mr. Webb and forwarding his passports according to request. Mr. Webb arrived in New York by the steamship Merrimac yesterday.

Hayti.

La Garre, a subordinate under General Dominguez and a candidate for the Presidency, has been captured and will probably be shot. Dominguez himself is enraged at the report of his barbarities furnished by Admiral Rios. Salnave considers himself insulted by President Grant's sending a negro Minister to his capital.

St. Thomas.

A shock of earthquake was felt in St. Thomas on the 21st of May. No great damage was done, but the inhabitants were so thoroughly frightened that many of them camped out.

Miscellaneous.

The Typographical Union in Washington on Saturday night received the report of the Committee on Applications for Membership, Lewis H. Douglass, the colored printer, being one of the applicants. The majority report in his case favored his admission on the ground that he was a good printer and had met all the requirements. It was adopted by a vote of 22 to 14; but before he was formally voted for as a member the meeting adjourned amid great confusion.

Senators Cameron and Scott, of Pennsylvania, have been trying to upset the appointments in that State, made at the instance of Representatives at a time when the Senators were too busy in executive session to attend to their interests. So far they have failed, and prophecy an inglorious defeat for the radicals in Pennsylvania in consequence, especially if General Hancock is nominated for Governor by the Democrats.

The Sunday concert in the Boston Coliseum was a success last evening. It is probable that promenade concerts will be given all through the week, one of which will be for the benefit of Mr. Gilmore. The Coliseum itself will probably not be demolished until the approach of winter.

We publish elsewhere this morning the letter of a Canadian gentleman, residing in this city, to Mr. Gladstone, Prime Minister of Great Britain, urging that England grant independence to the Canadian colonies.

Among the candidates for Congress in Virginia is Joseph Segar, formerly a member of the United States Senate. He, among the rest, is bidding largely for the negro vote as the deciding element of the campaign.

The City.

The investigation in the case of Hugh Kelly, who died in Newark from the effect of injuries received at the hands of some rowdies in this city, and for whose burial Dr. Harris refused a permit, was con-

cluded yesterday, the jury rendering a verdict of death from causes unknown. The relatives then took possession of the body.

A young man named Strappe died at Bellevue Hospital yesterday morning under circumstances that throw suspicion strongly upon one Dr. Amand, of Hecleker street, that a warrant for his arrest has been issued. It appears that Strappe, being ill, obtained some medicine from Dr. Amand, which produced a frightful pain in the stomach, and on consulting another physician he took an emetic. A portion of the matter emitted from his stomach was analyzed and found to contain Scheel's green, an active poison.

A tenement house brawl took place at No. 1657 Downing street yesterday afternoon, in which one Lynch, agent for the landlord of the premises, attempted to shoot an occupant named Stringer, and shot a watchman named Gaigan instead. He was arrested.

With but few exceptions the markets were characterized by extreme dullness on Saturday. Coffee was quiet, but steady, while cotton was dull, but unchanged in value, middling upland being quoted at 37½c. On 'Change four was active, and prices of shipping grades were 10c higher. Wheat was quiet, and closed lower. Corn was steady, while oats were firmer, though slow of sale. Pork was dull and heavy. Beef was unchanged, while lard was in limited request and rather heavy. Naval stores were generally quiet. Petroleum was dull and heavy for crude, but firmer, though quiet, for refined, the former closing at 16½c and the latter at 31½c. Whiskey was a shade firmer and freights were firm, though less active.

Prominent Arrivals in the City.

General James Watson Webb, Minister to Brazil, arrived in this city yesterday.

Judge E. Cattel and Judge Balcom, of Binghamton; J. A. Seward, of Middletown, and E. B. Morgan, of Aurora, are at the Astor House.

General James A. Garfield, of Ohio, and Captain E. Paulding, of Kingston, are at the Metropolitan Hotel.

Colonel G. W. Hull, of Albany; Dr. S. Russell Childs, of Saratoga, and Major Frank Taylor, of the United States Army, are at the St. Charles Hotel.

Colonel Stewart, of the United States Army; L. M. Blakely, of North Carolina, and Dr. R. Wilson, of Buffalo, are at the St. Julien Hotel.

Hugo Brandt, of Hamburg; James H. Grover, of New Orleans, and D. S. Oakley, of Florida, are at the New York Hotel.

Galsusha A. Grow, of Pennsylvania; E. Corning, of Albany; L. W. Colt, of San Francisco; Dr. B. W. Woods, of Baltimore, and L. B. Goodrich, of Chicago, are at the Fifth Avenue Hotel.

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American citizens have taken and will take therein, animated by the holiest feelings of human nature and justified by their natural rights. The government which is struggling to perpetuate its despotism proclaims its foes to be pirates and robbers, and not entitled to the usages of war. Our own government has failed in its duty to place itself on record in such a way as shall lend its moral influence to the cause of humanity and human progress. It has gone even further than this, and has recently displayed a secret partisanship for the Power which has been rejected, and the members of the Cabinet exhibit a self-accusing spirit by laying the onus of the act upon the inferior member of the Council. Every thinking person in the country rejects with a laugh of scorn the statement that Mr. Hoar alone is responsible for the acts which have committed the government to an obnoxious policy, and none, however poor in intellect, will believe that the Attorney General took the liberty of committing the government in these great questions without advice and without direction from the whole body.

The whole government, from President Grant down to Mr. Hoar, is responsible for the acts which mark its policy and prove its partisanship. If Mr. Fish has consented to this course willingly he has exhibited a want of sympathy with American feeling and with the march of American ideas which disqualifies him for the high place he holds. If he entertains sympathies for the Cubans in their efforts to establish their own freedom, to sweep slavery from their land and to participate in the political happiness which we enjoy, he should show it in some other way than by whisperings through the pen of a newspaper correspondent. Such breathings are not sufficient to counteract acts in which the hand of the government is plainly visible. It will not be an act of war to perform our duty to human nature by recognizing the belligerent rights of the republicans of Cuba, and to intimate to our fond ally Spain that we expect her to carry on war as a civilized government and not as an enemy to the human race, especially as we are supplying her with guns, powder and ships wherewith to make the war. As for a national policy, it is plain that the weak and cold administration of Grant and Fish are not equal to the task of devising one. We look to the American people to take care of that, intimating to the administration that they will do well not to place themselves in their timorous appreciation of European complications, in an attitude of hostility to the national policy the people shall lay down.

The Asiatic Exodus to the United States.

Still they come. Already on the Pacific slope there are some one hundred thousand Chinamen. On Thursday last twelve thousand Chinamen arrived at San Francisco in sailing vessels. Silver is being found in large quantities in the White Pine district. Chinese labor will, in consequence, be more in demand than ever. It is not too much to say that in ten years we shall have several millions of Chinese on the Pacific slope. They are a hardy, industrious, thrifty people, and, spite of their religious and social customs, they will help largely to develop the resources of those immense regions which lie west of the Rocky Mountains. The vast immigration of Chinese into this country is pregnant with important results. It cannot fail to tell in the long run mightily for good or evil on our destiny. The tide of immigration has changed its course. From Asia, the cradle of the race, it has in the past moved westward. Now, for the first time in history, it is taking an eastern direction. The thousands from China will soon become millions. Japan will imitate the example of her neighbor. It will not be otherwise with India. Unless we greatly mistake, this exodus from Asia brings with it the settlement of the negro question. If it settles some questions it will doubtless also give birth to others.

GENERAL GRANT'S MOVEMENTS.—On his return to this city from the Boston Peace Hubbub, General Grant, on Saturday last, took the run of the Park, did some shopping with Madame, and in the evening dropped in at Niblo's to learn something of the adventures of Sinbad the Sailor. Yesterday he went to church and dined with his First Secretary of the Treasury.

Mr. A. T. Stewart, and this morning he is off again to Washington. After a few days of active work, in regulating the business of Southern reconstruction, including a Cabinet Council or two on Cuba, we expect next to hear that His Excellency is off again on a short summer excursion, and some say that on account of the fine drives down there, he will next turn up at Long Branch.

MR. SUMNER'S POSITION.—It is given out in certain quarters at Washington that Mr. Sumner is perfectly satisfied with Mr. Motley's instructions, and that the Senate Chairman on Foreign Relations will be satisfied with less than two thousand millions as the bill of damages on those Alabama claims. It is further said that there is a perfectly harmonious understanding on this subject between Mr. Sumner and the administration; and as we are inclined to believe this report we learn more strongly to the conclusion that heretofore that on this question of the Alabama claims Mr. Motley will do nothing till after the reassembling of Congress in December.

FROM THE FAR EAST.—By the steamship Great Republic, at San Francisco, we have late news from China and Japan, as well as very solid and substantial evidence of the daily advance of our national and commercial interests in the East. The Great Republic landed a valuable cargo, made up for the most part of tea and silk, besides a huge amount of industrial wealth in the active little bodies of twelve hundred and fifty Chinamen. The news is commonplace—outrages on foreigners in Japan, diplomatic complaints, movements of the Mikado's fleet, with Sir Henry Parkes and the ram Stonewall again. China was trading, rather quiet and apparently relapsing slightly towards the national doze. Both countries would be benefited by a little foreign civilization, if not too much after the English plan.

NOT VERY SORRY TO HEAR IT.—That despite the efforts to detain the ship of Mr. George Raester, late Chargé d'Affaires to the United States from Hayti, the steamer Delphine, late the Florida, and bound for a rebel port in Hayti, made good her escape from Boston.

"Let us have peace."

Our Relations With Brazil—General James Watson Webb's Mission.

General James Watson Webb, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the United States to the Court of Brazil during the past eight years, in terminating his mission—if he has really closed it—created a grand fuss not merely in Rio Janeiro, but in the imperial palace, the office of the Minister and Secretary of State for Marine, and generally "all round," previous to his departure for New York. With pen in hand, paper, and ink before him, and flanked by the "mahogany stocks" of that "almost fatal fray," the General was warlike, and came out in the Brazilians in an official correspondence which covers many pages of a large sized newspaper—qualling any of the Seward-Alabama letters in length, and far superior to any particular one of that famous series in vim and personality of expression. The subject matter was our claim relative to the loss of the whaler Canada on the Caracas Reef, more than a dozen of years since, and the alleged unauthorized appropriation by the Brazilians of the proceeds of the sale of her cargo and outfit to the national treasury. Having a whaler in tow, the General handles an epistolary harpoon of the sharpest sort with great vigor. He characterizes the diplomacy of his Excellency the Minister as "undiplomatic," "irregular" and "grossly improper," and speaking of an attempt to remove the consideration of the whaler's case from his hands to Washington, asserts that it was "a gross and unpardonable breach of faith, a violation of an honorable compact between gentlemen and a direct personal offence to the representative of the United States, which would render it impossible for him to transact business with the Minister in future." General Webb next comes to attribute motives, hauling the Cabinet in Washington into his quarrel very adroitly thus:—"Your Excellency, in the name of the Imperial government, has persisted in a course absolutely uncalled for by any considerations of justice or expediency, well knowing that such would be deemed exceedingly offensive both by the undersigned and his government. The undersigned would have spent nearly eight years at this Court with very little knowledge of what is passing around him if he had not become cognizant of the fact that dislike of all foreigners is a national trait; that such dislike is more intense towards his countrymen than any other nationality, because they have got rid of the institution of slavery." And again:—"The undersigned, in closing his mission, has the satisfaction to reflect that he has on all occasions, and at no considerable personal sacrifice, proved himself a very sincere friend of Brazil and of the Brazilian people." General Webb is fully primed with abolitionism and gunpowder. He is here in town on his way to Washington, where he is almost certain to fight somebody. Secretary Fish had better post himself concerning Brazil. He may be forced into war or challenged on the spot.

The Ways and Means Committee—Westward, Ho!

Congressmen Hooper, Kelley, Brooks, Maynard, McCarthy, Marshall, Allison and Blair, the whole Committee of Ways and Means (excepting Mr. Schenck, chairman, off to Europe), were at Omaha, Nebraska, on the 15th instant, bound "Westward, ho!" as, likewise, were Miss Anna Dickinson and a large number of other distinguished individuals. On the preceding day William H. Seward and party left the same place for San Francisco, by rail, and on the 17th the Congressional company were on the trail, scouring over the plains at the rate of thirty miles an hour.

The Congressional Committee, under the authority of the House, have been on a tour of inspection of our custom houses, beginning with New York, and it is probable that their investigations may extend to the custom house (such as it is) at Sitka, in Alaska. At all events the committee ought to extend to Mr. Seward the compliment of accompanying him on his visit to that new found land of the Northwest, in order to see something of his splendid bargain in that prodigious purchase of four hundred and eighty-one thousand square miles of continental snow fields and two strings of Arctic sea islands, one running along the coast and the other nearly across the Pacific, numbering in all two, three, four or five thousand, for exactly how many nobody knows.

The House Committee, on this Western excursion, we expect, will submit a very interesting report to their Chamber with the reassembling of Congress in December. It is understood they will drop in upon Brigham Young and the Latter Day Saints at Great Salt Lake, to see how they are getting on, and to inquire into the most practicable and expeditious ways and means for the removal of that "twin relic of barbarism"—Mormon polygamy. If the committee satisfactorily solve this difficult problem they will do well, and we have "great expectations" of their success from the opportune presence and co-operation of Miss Anna Dickinson.

THE LATEST FROM PARIS.—That the election riots were really serious is not admitted by the government. In Paris alone, according to the official journal, ten hundred prisoners were arrested. Of these eight hundred have been set at liberty, leaving two hundred still in prison. Many of these are members of the press. Will they be brought formally to trial? If they are brought to trial and punished the result will be the same as in the Baudin conspiracy trial—it will tell against the government.

The unfortunate victims who perished during the disturbances have been buried, crowds attending; but we are officially informed that there was no disorder. It is the old story—"Peace reigns in Warsaw." Meanwhile we learn that the government of Napoleon, resolved to be strictly neutral with Spain, has ordered the arrest of all Carlists and Isabelles found on the frontier.

IMPORTANT CUSTOM HOUSE DISCOVERIES.—A telegram from Cincinnati announced yesterday that the government, having found that the quantity of sugar and coffee smuggled into the country through the port of New Orleans is larger than was at first supposed, and that it has been sent all over the West and Northwest, the revenue officers are now there looking after the goods, making seizures and compelling holders to prove that duties have

been paid, in order to retain the goods discovered in their possession. We are glad to hear of this movement in the way of reform, retrenchment and the recovery of revenues due to the government. The line of the Mississippi has been especially since the war, a favorite line of operation for the smugglers. After the echoes of the Boston Jubilee shall have ceased and the administration shall have found out what to do about the Cuban question, the Alabama question may be left over for a while until still further steps shall be made in the way of retrenchment and reform. The question of the enormous frauds in petroleum, tobacco and whiskey might well be revived. It is now of the highest importance that all revenues legitimately due to the government should be collected and that all leaks should be stopped.